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11 January 1965

25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

SUBJECT: Biweekly Report #1-65: The Defense Intelligence School (DIS)
17 December 1964 - 8 January 1965

1. This report highlights the opening of Attaché Class 2-65 at which Lt. General Fitch, Deputy Director DIA, commented on the changes in the Attaché system and on developments in the College Graduate Recruit Career Development Plan (JOT).

2. New Requirements:

a. Personnel: No new personnel requirements have been submitted during this reporting period. I do anticipate receiving requirements for the Advanced Intelligence Course (AIC) in the next week. This is for the course which will begin 1 March.

b. Materiel:

(1) I have been asked to explore the possibility of faster delivery to the DIS of the Current Intelligence Digests. There is a slow down in the DIA mail room in passing these to the DIS so as to minimize their usefulness to the school.

(2) In preparation for the Advanced Intelligence Course, I have been asked to obtain 30 copies of the OCR Information Handbook and 30 copies each of selected Studies in Intelligence.

3. Materiel Support.

a. Arrangements have been made, through [redacted] for a screening, at DIS, by the Director of Instruction and members of the Attaché Staff, of the Agency film "Resume." Their interest in this was reported in my Weekly Report #34, 19 October 1964, after a former member of the Attaché Staff had seen the film at the National Interdepartmental Seminar.

b. Through the good offices of [redacted] Special Asst. in OCR, I have received and delivered to the DIS, 30 copies of the OCR Information Handbook.

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25X1 c. Through the fine cooperation of [] Studies
25X1 in Intelligence, and the very special effort of [], I
received for delivery to the DIS, 30 copies each of a variety of the
Studies and extracts therefrom. These are for use in the AIC.

d. Arrangements have been made with the office which dissemi-
nates the Daily Intelligence Digests for direct dissemination of
the DIS copies to DIS.

4. No Agency presentations were made during this reporting period.

5. Agency Presentations for Period Ending 18 January 1965:

25X1 a. 11 January - [] - The Nature and
25X1 Significance of Strategic Intelligence.

25X1 b. 12 January - [] - The National
25X1 Security Structure; CIA Organization, Mission, and Functions.

25X1 c. 14 January - Defense Intelligence Course (DIC) - []
25X1 [] - Soviet Intelligence Services.

25X1 d. 14 January - [] The Strategic
25X1 Intelligence Process.

25X1 e. 14 January [] - The National
25X1 Intelligence Survey.

25X1 f. 15 January - DIC - [] U.S. Intelligence
25X1 Targets.

25X1 g. 18 January - DIC - [] - Counterintelligence.

6. Miscellaneous Intelligence:

a. Attaché Course 2-65 began 4 January with 67 Attaché Designates enrolled. Major General Fitch, Deputy Director DIA, spoke to the class about the DIA take-over of the Attaché system. He said that at the moment, not much more was known than had already been published in the press. Some of his comments follow:

(1) The decision was a SecDef decision to bring about a more effective Attaché system and to reduce costs.

(2) The Senior Attaché at each post would be accredited as a Defense Attaché and Asst. Attachés would be accredited as both Defense Attachés and as representatives of their respective services.

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(3) Reduction of numbers of Attachés at any one station would be accomplished through attrition and all Attachés Designate presently in attendance could expect to enter into Attaché duties as planned.

(4) The Department of State and, where appropriate, the military establishment in the country concerned would assume a large part of the support responsibility (i.e. motor pools, supply, etc.) now presently held by the Attaché office in a given country. This would further reduce the costs of administering the program.

(5) An action committee has been organized to plan and implement the integration of the Attaché system in DIA. This committee will be the nucleus of the new support arm of the system, eventually absorbing the support elements currently operated by the three services. It is planned that the ninety-some Attaché posts will be absorbed into the new Defense Attaché System by the end of June 1965.

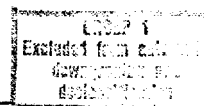
(6) Although Gen. Fitch did not comment on training, it is believed by the DIS staff that DIS will continue to be charged with Attaché training although the training is likely to be greatly changed.

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b. The College Graduate Recruit Career Development Plan (JOT) was approved in DIA December 1964. The details are set forth in DIA Regulation No. 22-35, which is attached. In my opinion, It does not appear that this program will provide too much competition with our own JOT program for a variety of reasons which are obvious in the regulation, i.e., the beginning grade structure. The DIA program does not envision any foreign assignments and so will only appeal to those who have no desire to serve overseas. Within DIS, an Ad Hoc committee has been appointed to develop the Intelligence Orientation Course, Para. 7, a.(1). ^{My opinion} I have been asked to serve on this committee and am presently engaged in drafting a training plan for use by the committee as a point of departure. [redacted] has already given me considerable advice and guidance and I hope to call on him for continuing advice as the plans begin to materialize. The first course of approximately 25 trainees is expected to get under way the last week in June.

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c. [redacted] DIA COS, plans to attend the February running of Project USEFUL. He plans to use one of the DIA slots.

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d. On 16 December [redacted] Chief Management
Training, talked with [redacted] DIS Deputy Commandant
and [redacted] DIS Educational Advisor, on the subject of
Management Training. Both were very pleased at their reception by
[redacted] and the information he was able to give them. This
last was reflected in new direction given the DIS staffs with regard
to the inclusion of a limited amount of management training in the
respective DIS courses. (Both asked me to repeat their thanks to
both [redacted] and to you.)

e. On 17 December, at [redacted] suggestion, I
briefed Messrs. [redacted] on the AIC to
enable them to better nominate candidates for this course.

f. Attached, for your retention, is a new DIA organization
chart.



CIA Faculty Advisor, DIS

